Department of Music
University of Alberta

Visiting Artists:

Antonin Kubálek, piano
Ivan Zenaty, violin

featuring works by Brahms, Grieg, Mácha, Smetana

Friday, January 28, 1994 at 8:00 pm

Convocation Hall, Arts Building
University of Alberta

Co-sponsored by the Czechoslovak Society of Arts and Sciences of Alberta.

N.B.: At the request of the artists, this recital **was not** recorded.

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PROGRAM

Sonata in C minor for violin and piano, op.45 — Edvard Grieg (1843-1907)

I. Allegro molto ed appasionato
II. Allegretto espressivo alla Romanza
III. Allegro animato

Sonata in D minor for violin and piano, op.108 — Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

I. Allegro
II. Adagio
III. Un poco presto e con sentimento
IV. Presto agitato

INTERMISSION

Elegy for violin and piano — Otmar Mácha (b.1922)

From the homeland - two duets for violin and piano — Bedrich Smetana (1824-1884)

I. Moderato
II. Andantino
Moderato
Allegro vivo
Moderato assai
Presto

The Department of Music and the Czechoslovak Society of Arts and Sciences of Alberta are proud to co-sponsor, for the third time in three years, a visit from renowned pianist **Antonin Kubálek**. This year he will be joined by the brilliant young violinist, **Ivan Zenaty**. The Department of Music would like to thank the Society for their contribution to what promises to be a very special musical evening.

Czech-born **Antonin Kubálek** gave many concerts in Europe and his reputation as a recording artist and professor at the Prague Conservatory grew rapidly. After emigrating to Canada in 1968 he re-established his career. The late Glen Gould was a great admirer of Kubálek's "rare mix of improvisatory freedom and structural control" and was instrumental in Kubálek's success by producing a recording of his performance of Korngold's Second Piano Sonata.

Mr Kubálek's performances have continued to draw praise from all over the world. As a contributor to music-making in Canada, he has commissioned and recorded new works by Canadian composers. Mr Kubálek serves on the teaching faculty of the Royal Conservatory of Music in Toronto and is heard in Edmonton frequently on CBC radio.

Ivan Zenaty's success in Moscow in 1982, when he won the famous Tchaikovsky International Violin Competition in Moscow, was capped by a victory in the Prague Spring international competition in 1987. That same year he toured Europe with the International Youth Philharmonic under conductor Jirí Belohlávek. A year later he took private lessons from Josef Suk and was featured soloist with the Prague Symphony Orchestra. In 1989 Mr Zenaty was awarded the title of laureate at the UNESCO International Tribune of Young Interpreters, and the main prize of the famous Ruggiero Ricci's master courses in West Berlin in 1990. He also made his debut with the Berlin Symphony Orchestra in 1990.

Mr Zenaty has recorded and concertized all over the world, playing with such famous orchestras as the Czech Philharmonic, the Stuttgart Radio Orchestra dn the English Chamber Orchestra. His rare talent is fittingly displayed on a rare instrument made by Giuseppe Guadagnini. A new concerto is being composed for Mr Zenaty by Oskar Morawetz with an anticipated premiere in the 1994-95 season.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Saturday, at 8 pm January 29, 1994 Convocation Hall	**Visiting Artist Recital:** **John Sampen, saxophone** Admission: $7/adult, $5/student/senior
Sunday, at 8 pm January 30, 1994 Convocation Hall	**World Music Concert Series:** **Indian Music and the Eloquence of a New Generation** Admission: $7/adult, $5/student/senior
Wednesday, at 8 pm February 2, 1994 Convocation Hall	**Kreisleriana: The Drama and the Music** Admission: $7/adult, $5/student/senior
Sunday, at 8 pm February 6, 1994 Convocation Hall	**Kilburn Encounters IV:** **Norman Nelson, violin & friends** Admission: $7/adult, $5/student/senior
Tuesday, at 8 pm February 8, 1994 Convocation Hall	**Faculty Recital:** **James Montgomery, trombone** Admission: $7/adult, $5/student/senior
Friday, at 8 pm February 11, 1994 Convocation Hall	**Visiting Artist Recital:** **Elizabeth Dubberly, soprano &** **Stephen Dubberly, piano** Admission: $7/adult, $5/student/senior
Sunday at 3 pm February 20, 1994 Convocation Hall	**Benefit Faculty Recital** (in support of U of A music performance activities): **Marek Jablonski, piano** Admission: $10/adult, $5/student/senior